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November 20, 1987

Handwritten: M
Mr. Cartha DeLoach
50 Gull Point Road
Hilton Head Island, South Carolina 29928

Handwritten: J E Hoover

Dear Mr. DeLoach:

By enclosure to a letter to Mr. Gregory D. DeLoach of the McNair Law Firm, April 2, 1986, former Assistant Director, Office of Congressional and Public Affairs, William M. Baker noted that the FBI would at some time be interested in borrowing a pen presented to former Director J. Edgar Hoover by President Lyndon Johnson. The pen was used to sign the Civil Rights Bill of 1964. It is with the collection of Hoover memorabilia belonging to the Hoover Foundation and is stored at the Freedoms Foundation, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania.

December 9, 1987, is the thirtieth anniversary of the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice. The Department has requested the assistance of the FBI in setting up an exhibit in honor of the anniversary. FBI Historian Susan R. Falb, who has examined the collection at the Freedoms Foundation, suggested that this pen might be an appropriate part of the Department of Justice exhibit. She can be reached at [redacted]

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Please contact me at your convenience and let me know if the FBI could borrow the pen and if we could loan it to the

- Handwritten: NOV 25 1987*
- 1 - Mr. Clarke
 - 1 - Mr. Turner, Deputy AAG, CR Division, DOJ
 - 1 - Dr. Falb, Room 7350, TL 213
 - 1 - Mr. Gregory D. DeLoach
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Mr. Cartha DeLoach

Department of Justice. Your favorable consideration of this request would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

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Floyd I. Clarke
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division

NOTE: Cartha Delke DeLoach served in the FBI from 1942 to 1970. He was AD Crime Records Division, 1959 - 1965, and Assistant to the Director 1965 - 1970. He is chairman and president of the J. Edgar Hoover Foundation, which was incorporated in 1965 to perpetuate the ideals to which Mr. Hoover dedicated his life. Gregory DeLoach is his son, and handled previous matters involving the FBI and the memorabilia collection at the invitation of the Hoover Foundation in 1984 and 1985.

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